

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO

STATE OF NEW MEXICO, *ex rel.*  
State Engineer

Plaintiff,

vs.

ROMAN ARAGON, *et al.*,

Defendants.

69cv07941 BB-ACE

RIO CHAMA STREAM SYSTEM  
Section 7: Rito de Tierra Amarilla,  
Rio Brazos, Rutherford & Plaza Blanca,  
Cañones Creek, Village of Chama

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COMES NOW plaintiff State of New Mexico, *ex rel.* State Engineer, and hereby files proof of publication of the Notice of Pendency of Suit issued by the Clerk of this Court on August 28, 2006, for purpose of service by publication on the following persons, if living, if deceased, their unknown heirs:

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Respectfully submitted,

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